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THE ELASTICITY

OF THE FEDERAL CONSTITUTION.

AN INTERESTING DOCUMENT.

tion that the twelve amendments were soon after added to the original document as submitted by the convention.

While paying homage to Marshall and men like him, who did so much in laying the broad and solid foundation upon which our government rests, we would do no less for Jefferson and others who with him will ever be remembered as the great apostles of the rights and liberties of the people and the reserved rights of the States. They were all equally patriotic, all striving to the same end—the establishment of good government upon a durable basis—all cowritten, and indispensable to the accomplishment of the great result.

The Constitution which they framed, unchanged from that it was when it came from their hand, has witnessed wonderful transformations in the condition of the country. It has carried us through three foreign wars, and one civil war, gigantic in its proportions. It has witnessed expansion in territory, in agriculture, in commerce beyond the dream of fancy; it has witnessed the growth of the nation from a small beginning to world wide influence and power; taxes have been collected, money borrowed, debts paid, treated made, post offices and post roads established, public improvements constructed, manufacture encouraged, science and art promoted, the liberties of the people preserved and made secure.

Would it be a wild prophecy to say that the near future will give us an inland canal, uniting the waters of the two oceans, and a submarine cable to the Philippine possessions, under government control, by the united votes of the liberal and strict constructionists? If our commercial interests demand them it cannot be said that they are beyond the power of our government to meet every duty and every emergency.

Recent events have brought our nation into new relations with enlarged responsibilities and duties. They have served to demonstrate to the world that we are, what our fathers in the convention of 1787 intended we should be, a nation with all the powers and attributes of a nation. As a world power in our foreign intercourse, full authority is vested in the general government in its various departments to meet every duty and every emergency.

Its demonstration was seen in our intervention in behalf of Cuba, and in the settlement of the disturbance in China.

As one of the results, territory has come into our possession in the Orient, occupied by a semi-barbarous people of several millions. It presents, in some of its aspects, new conditions and grave responsibilities, yet we are optimistic enough to believe that it will be met with the courage and the wisdom that have heretofore controlled and directed us as a people. It has been shown that we have been acquiring territory since the days of Jefferson, and there is abundant warrant for it, both in precedent and the rulings of the Supreme Court.

Alarums we have had, and alarms we will continue to have; some of our old men will see visions, and young men will dream dreams, yet the country will move on in its predetermined course. Congress has been legislating for our territories since the celebrated ordinance of 1787, and will doubtless continue to do so as long as we have any, until the people arrive at the point where they have the capacity to act for themselves. And the Supreme Court will, as it has been doing, settle questions of constitutional right growing out of our relation with them, restraining and holding in constitutional bounds the actions of the other departments of the government.

Whether the Constitution follows the flag or the flag the Constitution, it must be admitted that the agencies of the government are its creations, and amenable to its provisions, and in view of its past history, we need entertain no fears that the inhabitants will be invested with all the rights of personal and political liberty which they are capable of enjoying.

The proper limits of this article forbid, and its purpose precludes us from entering upon a consideration of the restrictions in the Constitution upon the powers of the general government. They are our bill of rights, and are no less important than the express grants. If the onerous efficiency and strength to the general government, the other guards and preserves the liberties of the people.

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The Constitution has met and been sufficient for all of the past exigencies that have

arisen in our internal affairs, and in our relations with foreign governments. It is more firmly imbedded in the loyal love and affection of the people now than it was in the hearts of our fathers, because we have better known its value. They bequeathed it to us with the eye of faith, hoping, praying that it might prove to what they desired, but we behold it as it is—the greatest chart for free government that has been devised by the wisdom of man.

[THE END.]

FORCES

Another Negro Officeholder Upon South.

HARDSHIP ON WHITES.

Washington, Jan. 5.—(Special)—President Roosevelt took another step in his "Southern policy" and forced upon the people of Charleston, S. C., a negro Surveyor of Customs, one W. D. Crum. The case has already come in for much comment owing to a letter recently written by the President to a prominent citizen of Charleston. In this letter the President took the ground that there were no charges against Crum and intimated that he would appoint him. Citizens who desired to prevent the appointment of Crum preferred minor charges against him, but generally speaking was only opposed on the ground that he is a negro. The President's action has, therefore, caused surprise, and it is expected that the nomination of the negro Vick to the Wilson, N. C., post-office will shortly be announced.

Senator Tilman, of South Carolina, said to-night that the President is in selecting negroes for Federal positions in the Southern States was simply following a plan of campaign originally outlined to secure delegates from the South in the next national convention. Senator Tilman's words were evoked by the submission in the Senate of Crum's nomination. When the appointment was sent in this afternoon the Senator in response to an inquiry, immediately announced that he would fight confirmation.

"So far as this special case is concerned," said the Senator, "I cannot see that Crum is given this place for any other reason than that he is a negro, and if the qualifications required for Federal appointments are heretofore to be that the prospective appointees are to be black, white men and of the South will be compelled to object. The President seems to stand on a certain line of policy which indicates the political considerations paramount just now. There appears to be a race on for delegates to the national convention. I do think that in any State public offices ought to be parcelled out along any settled basis of distribution.

"Throughout the whole State of South Carolina a great majority of white men have protested against this nomination of Crum. There are not 600 white men in the whole State who will inform this action. We think the President could have selected some reputable white Republican for the place without subjecting us to this mortification. He could even have gone to the extent of appointing a carpetbagger. We now have a carpetbagger postmaster at Charleston.

"Personally I am opposed to both negro and carpetbagger appointments, but of the two evils I select the latter. I argue that the President should not discriminate in the States in selecting negroes for Federal offices. Why, for instance, should the Presidents not appoint a negro postmaster at Cumberland, Md.; Harrodsburg, Pa., or some other town in the North? Let all States share alike. Give us no partiality. It is all brutal politics. Negro delegates to the national convention are involved."

The situation in the South over the present negro policy of the administration is undoubtedly becoming very strained, and many members fear an outbreak at any time or place. The subject has come in for more agitation in the last four months than it has since the days of reconstruction. The trouble at Indianapolis probably to this agitation, for until the President began to circulate his views about

the appointment of negroes to Southern offices there seems to have been no trouble at Indianapolis. The President's views are diametrically opposite to those of the people of Indiana and, in fact, every other town in the South.

Naturally they were quick to see that in tolerating a negro postmaster they were indirectly placed in an attitude of indifference towards the President's ideas.

NEWS NOTES.

John Haley, a Lexington barkeeper, committed suicide.

Henry Taylor, of Lexington, ate five quails and won \$100.

Elias Ellis, a noted Mexican war veteran, is dead at Independence, Mo.

Over six billion cigars were smoked in this country during the last fiscal year.

Half of the town of Gila, La., was destroyed by fire, presumably of incendiary origin.

San Francisco and Honolulu are now connected by cable. The wire is working perfectly.

Four boys died of lock jaw at Norton, Va., as a result of injuries received from Christmas toy pistols.

Three persons were killed and a dozen more injured by a dynamite explosion in Oak Hill Colliery at Pottsville, Pa.

Ras Estus, of Logan county, was shot and killed by Bock Robison. Both were farmers and had long been enemies.

The right of the police to keep the photograph of a man in the rogues' gallery is to be tested in the courts of New York.

Bond county's magistrates have increased the county attorney's salary \$200, the county clerk's \$100 and the superintendent of schools \$250.

The report of the Tennessee Prison Commissioner shows that the profits from the State coal mine worked by convicts amounted to \$100,000 during last year.

The banks of New York paid \$100,000 in dividends and interest falling due Thursday. At 6 per cent. interest this represents an invested capital of 20 billion dollars.

It develops that an officer in approved full dress uniform, excepting a pair of russet shoes, was the innocent cause of the changes in the United States army uniforms which have just gone into effect.

At the beginning of the New Year the State of Kentucky has \$1,114,596.51 in its treasury and Auditor Coulter only gives it a wider grasp in dealing with affairs which concern people of the whole country. Summarizing what has been said:

1st. The need of the Confederation was a stronger federal head.

2nd. It was the purpose of our fathers to establish, and they did establish, a national government.

3rd. Although a limited government, it is sovereign within its sphere of action, and possesses all the powers and attributes of sovereignty.

4th. In the exercise of this sovereignty all the means necessary and proper follow as incidents.

5th. It is the people's government, and the Constitution is the supreme law.

6th. The express grants of power to the departments carry with them as incidents the means necessary to their proper exercise. Human wisdom could not foresee and designate the details, and they are necessarily in the discretion of the departments within their respective limits.

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We would also suggest, in view of the

fact that the friends of Mr. Robert

Harding think that he was not given

a fair deal in the convention, that the

bars be thrown down and he and any

other who wish to contest for the

nomination for either office, be per-

mitted to do so. Instead of limiting the

candidates to the present claimants of

the nominations. There has been talk

of taking the question to the courts, but

in this case referred to of Moody vs

Trimble, 22d Law Reporter, Page 692,

the court of appeals decided that the

party authorities are the ones to settle

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR STATE TREASURER.

We are authorized to announce H. H. HENNINGER, Wayne county, a candidate for the office of State Treasurer, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

Again the racial trouble is appearing in some of the Southern States and, omitting the details and coming to the bone of contention, it is all summed up in this statement: The caucasian race—the whole people, are not willing and never will be, for the negro to hold office, either elective or appointive, municipal, State or Federal. This disposition is inbred and comes from the high ambitions of the race backed up by the knowledge of superiority of breeding. It is not a question of politics in the South, but the drawing of the color line in matters of taste, ambition and pride which is indestructible with the Southerner. If the negro would avert trouble, advance the condition of his race he should steer clear of political positions, especially where the Southern white man has his home. Unfortunately the people of the Northern States are not acquainted with Southern pride—due to the appeals of Southern Statesmen. It is a pity that the Chief Executive of our Nation cannot steer out of political matters and grant the Southern white people the privilege of ruling their own country without imposing obnoxious federal office-holders, not of their race or color, neither their equal, morally, socially or otherwise. No man is in better position to end these troubles than Mr. Roosevelt, but political fortune at stake and racial trouble prevalent, the white people of the South can not be pacified by placing the Negro in official position over them. It is this that stirs the blood; it is this that brings trouble and the President is not a stranger to the real situation, but to add capital to his political stock—to add capital to the instructed votes from the Southern States. He is giving favors to the majority part of his party in that section at the expense of the people of his own blood and race. If he chooses to die with these traits his private affairs and exemplifies his own taste, but he has no right to instigate trouble between two races of people who dwell in the same country and dwell in peace.

Our Government paid 200,000 dollars for the Philippines; has spent three or four times that amount to subdue the inhabitants, has entailed millions of dollars expense to run in pensions annually for one hundred years to come, and now, even now, when prosperity is abroad in the land, congress is asked to appropriate \$3,000,000 to relieve distress in those islands. We have never believed that our Government was right in the purchase, we have never thought it was cleary within the limits of the spirit our Constitution in establishing a colonial government a people who fought with us the common enemy and who sought the blessings of liberty, and we have had doubts all the while as to the wisdom of the deal from a commercial standpoint. We are just the same today.

Something is going to "drop" at the next trial of Caleb Powers. Henry E. Youtsey, who is serving a life sentence for complicity in the murder of Governor William Goebel, was before the Franklin county grand jury last Saturday. Before going to the grand jury room he remarked that he was ready to tell what he knew. He again went on the stand Monday. His testimony will be closely guarded by the Commonwealth until the opening of the next trial.

To All Whom This May Concern.

I have this day sold my interest in the store at Montpelier, Ky., to my son, Luther Williams, who will continue the business at the same old stand with Mrs. E. B. Wheat under the old firm name of Wheat & Williams.

I do this after 33 years connection in the mercantile business at the same place—Twenty-eight years with Cyrus Wheat, deceased, and four or more years with his widow, Mrs. E. B. Wheat. Twenty years of which, I was in active business myself. Our business associations and connections have been very pleasant and satisfactory and we have enjoyed a large share of the trade and patronage of the community and a reasonable success and prosperity in a financial way. And now in retiring I take this opportunity to express my thanks to all the friends and customers who have given us their patronage. And further, I cheerfully commend the new firm to those who have been so long our old customers and patrons, as efficient, honest and upright merchants and bespeak for them a large share of the trade of the community at large. I have also as surviving partner of the old firm of Wheat & Williams made a final settlement with all the parties concerned, and with Luther Williams, Administrator of Cyrus Wheat, deceased, divided the remainder of the unsettled notes and debts according to the will of the testator, Cyrus Wheat. I do this on my part more to fully relieve myself of the worldly encumbrances that I may more fully consecrate myself to the good work whereunto I am called.

This January 5th, 1903.

Z. T. WILLIAMS.

The appeal in the Meacham anti-primary injunction case was filed last Friday in the Appellate Court at Frankfort. Yesterday Mr. Meacham's attorney, John W. Ray, moved that it be docketed and advanced. We predict that the Court of Appeals will decide it has no jurisdiction, and that primary will proceed.

There was an attack on the life of King Alfonso, of Spain, a few days ago. He was returning from the Spanish Court with other persons when a man fired into the party. He was immediately arrested. He claimed that he attempted to assassinate the Duke of Sotomayor, who was in the carriage following the one in which the king was seated.

It is thought probable at Frankfort that Circuit Judge Cantrell will refuse to vacate the bench at the next trial of Caleb Powers.

JAMESTOWN.

The following superiors are now at work on the assessor's book: M. D. Hooper, J. P. Dunbar, J. R. Luttrell, J. W. Mitchell and U. S. Sullivan. Our Sheriff has his quietus from the Auditor, showing that he had made full settlement. On the first day of January, 1903, he paid all that he had and now has in his possession a clear receipt from both county and State. He is the first Sheriff for more than twenty years who has made such an early settlement. The county is proud of his official work.

Hock Moore, a colored man well known to the traveling public, has come crazy. He has been the host at Paterson's Hotel for many years. His affliction is caused from a shot inflicted by himself, in the head, some time ago.

W. F. Rowe and wife are visiting relatives here.

Our school opened the first of January with 35 pupils. There will be 50 next week.

CRAY CRAFT.

Some of the farmers are preparing for another crop when the weather will admit.

J. M. Wilson, who has been sick for some time, is better.

Bessie, the little daughter of Z. T. Sanders, is quite sick.

The school at Clear Spring is progressing nicely under the management of Miss Minnie White.

Miss Ona Breeding of Vester, visited in this neighborhood a few days ago.

J. N. Murrell was in Columbia on business a few days ago.

S. H. Murrell was in Ozark one day last week.

J. N. Conover, of Moo Speller, was here a few days ago buying cattle.

Miss Mollie Murrell visited Miss Anne Reynolds several days of last week.

Nath Anmurr all was at Stapp Springs a few days ago.

CREELESBORO.

Will J. Ackman was in Nashville last week.

Dr. W. B. Armstrong, of Albany, made a business trip here last week.

Mrs. H. S. Irwin was visiting near Burnside last week.

Mrs. Nancy Staton, of Irish Bottom, died December 28, after a long illness. She was 82 years old and had lived a consistent

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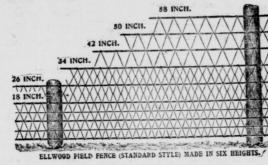
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W. C. Bradshaw and Cyrus Campbell returned from Nashville last week, where they sold two rafes for \$2000.00.

Allen W. Gridier, of Irish Bottom, who has been in bad health for several months, is better.

Prof. Silas Denney opened school at Rockhouse the 5th, with an attendance of 15.

Mrs. H. S. Irwin was visiting near Burnside last week.

Mrs. Nancy Staton, of Irish Bottom, died December 28, after a long illness. She was 82 years old and had been a consistent member of the M. E. church for 61 years.

Mrs. Nannie Johnson was quite sick last week.

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Washed Wool.....

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Beezaw.....

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Feathers.....

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Hides, Green.....

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Hides Dry.....

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Spring Chickens.....

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Old Hens.....

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Eggs.....

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Dried Apples.....

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Turkeys.....

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Gobblers.....

51

Geese, Full Feathers.....

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Ducks.....

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This report will be submitted

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PERSONAL MENTION.

Ber. E. N. Metcalfe has been quite sick for several days.

Mr. J. N. Coffey was in the Louisville market last week.

Mr. E. V. Miller, merchant at Crocus, was in town Monday.

Mr. Young Hart went to Lebanon Monday to see his mother.

Mr. Jas. Garrett, Jr., was quite sick several days of last week.

Mr. Jas. Garrett, Jr., attended the Taylor circuit court last week.

Mr. Wm. Irvine, of Camp Knox, is on a three months trip to Texas.

Mr. S. C. Neat, of Purdy, left on a business trip to Louisville, last Friday.

Mr. Basil Chapman accompanied his sister to Powell Station, Tenn., last Saturday.

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LOCAL JOTTINGS.

Born, to the wife of J. A. Darrell, on the 3rd, a son, Ernest Colson.

About forty new pupils have entered M. and F. High School since January 1st.

All parties indebted to Wm. F. Jeffries & Son either by note or account are requested to pay at once.

You can save money on overcoats, clothing, all kinds, blankets and comforts, by calling on W. L. Walker.

For SALE.—I have a fine short horn bull I will sell or exchange for good much cow.

W. L. Walker.

WANTED.—Some old heavy Wade & Butcher Brand razors.

W. T. Price,

Marcum Hotel.

The Adam circuit court will begin next Monday. The term will not continue but a few days as the docket is unusually light.

All personing myself by either note, account, or fee bills will call and settle at once. This will save cost.

J. W. Butler,

I have a lot of remnants in all kind of goods, dress goods, castings, all cheap. Come before they are sold.

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We understand that Dr. S. P. Miller and Capt. J. S. Chapman will exchange property in a few days. I mean that the difference paid by Dr. Miller was fifty hundred dollars.

I am making surprising reductions on my entire stock of Winter goods. Everything at a bargain. I am going to clean up.

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B. D. Tandy bought, last week, from J. T. Sublett a mule for \$16.00, a load of hogs from Smith & Neil a \$3.40, and a load from Baker Bros. and Brockman at \$5.25 to \$6.00.

Mr. J. W. Moore, who lived at Vester, this county, died one day last week. He was an excellent citizen and will be greatly missed in the neighborhood where he resided.

News reaches Columbia that a prominent stock man will guarantee the right of way from Robinson's creek to Springfield, and will secure thirty thousand dollars in stock if the electric line from this place will head for Springfield.

Notwithstanding the disagreeable weather large congregations attended the morning services at this place last Saturday morning. The Presiding Elder, Rev. S. J. Shelley, preached two very interesting sermons Sunday forenoon and evening.

S. Wetterer, who at one time made the acquaintance of Dr. Wm. H. Columbia, is dead. His successor is Edwin Duer, who is doing business at the same stand. He would be pleased if the young men of this locality would call and leave their measures when in Louisville.

Rich G. Tafel, the jeweler, and watch-maker, 122 West Market, Louisville, invites trade from this section of the State. Trade comprises the very large in all kinds of jewelry and watches consigned to him for repair receive prompt attention. He is a very reliable gentleman and guarantees satisfaction.

WANTED.

A good job printer, sober and attentive to business. Reasonable wages. Address the News, Columbia, Ky.

My accounts are posted and I am now ready for settlement. Call early and save me the trouble of calling upon you.

J. N. Page.

Mr. Root, Bridgewater and Miss Cordie Hancock, grand-daughter of Mr. Oliver Hancock, will be at Camp Knox to day, Rev. Wm. Dugden will officiate.

The buyers of C. E. Overstreet & Co., Golden Rule Store, Louisville, Ky., are now in New York looking up new Spring and Summer goods.

Mr. Jas. Garrett, Jr., attended the Taylor circuit court last week.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Mr. Charles H. Brasel, of Macon, Ga., to Miss Mary E. Harris, of Tazewell, Tenn., the 22nd of this month. In the Episcopal Church of the Cross, the officiating clergyman being the pastor of Middleboro, Ky., Baptist Church.

Mr. Brasel is a cultured young gentleman, a business man of ability and possesses a happy disposition that wins and holds friends. Miss Harris is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. W. H. of Charlottesville, Va., and is an accomplished young lady possessing the many lovable traits of a true woman. She has many friends in this section, having spent several months here visiting her brother, Mr. C. S. Harris.

This union is to be the culmination of their courtship and our knowledge of their aspirations forebodes a happy life for them when we trust will prove a living reality.

DIED.

Last Wednesday morning, at the hour of 3 o'clock, the Death Angel visited Mr. Jas. Garrett, Jr., of Eddy, Texas, and took from them their most precious jewel, little Maggie, their only child, aged eleven months and eleven days. She was noticed by every one who knew her. During her two weeks suffering she was a picture of health and beauty, created and maintained by her father, mother and friends until her suffering was over. Then we could say Lord, Thy will be done.

It is hard to part with our dear ones, yet we must submit to the Lord's will, and may we live as well as we are able we will meet little Maggie where parting is no more.

T. A. MURKEL,
County Judge.

The report of the Commercial Bank of Liberty, Ky., ought to be entirely satisfactory to its many patrons and depositors throughout Casey county. It showed to be in a healthy condition, and its depositors the money of that section. Its officers are strictly business men, courteous and accommodating to the people and richly deserves the prosperity as shown in its December reports.

Mr. D. M. Williams, of Campbellville, representing the old reliable hat house, Swan Abram & Co., of Louisville, was in town last week and called on one of our merchants. Mr. Williams has been a "nightingale" for many years, and is as jolly as a sixteen year-old. He represents a house whose goods make the old look young and the young feel gay. He is a good man and is employed by a good firm.

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